

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA
Statement of Legal Newspaper Ownership and Circulation

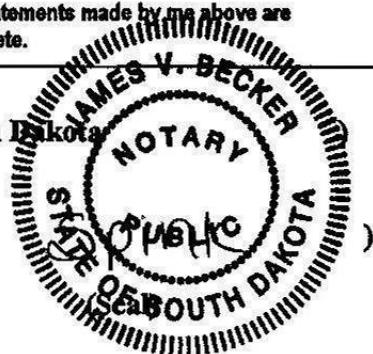
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1. TITLE OF NEWSPAPER The Times-Record		2. DATE OF FILING 9-17-01
3. FREQUENCY OF ISSUE Weekly		3A. NO. OF ISSUES PUBLISHED ANNUALLY 52
3B. ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE \$25 in State / \$30 out of State		
4. COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS OF KNOWN OFFICE OF PUBLICATION (Street, City, County, State and ZIP+4 Code) (Not printers) PO Box 387, Doland, Spink County, South Dakota 57436-0387		
5. COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS OF THE HEADQUARTERS OR GENERAL BUSINESS OFFICES OF THE PUBLISHER (Not printers) PO Box 387, Doland, Spink County, South Dakota 57436-0387		
6. FULL NAME OF PUBLISHER: Alina E. Becker		
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F. COPIES NOT DISTRIBUTED 1. Office use, left over, unaccounted, spoiled after printing		94
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September, 2001

Notary Public

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